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I. UNITS ENTITLED TO BATTLE CREDITS. 1. **ANZIO.** DA General Orders 6, 1950, as amended by DA General Orders 37, 1950; DA General Orders 25, 1954; DA General Orders 40, 1957, and DA General Orders 20, 1959, pertaining to the Anzio Campaign, is further amended as follows:

Add: 2d Signal Corps Detachment, Provisional

2. **ALGERIA-FRENCH MOROCCO.** WD General Orders 59, 1945, as amended by WD General Orders 85, 1945; DA General Orders 72, 1948; DA General Orders 37, 1950; DA General Orders 32, 1953; DA General Orders 25, 1954; DA General Orders 37, 1961, and DA General Orders Number 7, 1962, pertaining to the Algeria-French Morocco Campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 345th Engineer General Service Regiment

3. **SOUTHERN FRANCE.** WD General Orders 87, 1945, as amended by DA General Orders 6 and 37, 1950; DA General Orders 9, 1955; DA General Orders 28, 1956, and DA General Orders 36, 1960, pertaining to the Southern France Campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 64th Military Police Company, Post Command Station

Add: 6th Signal Detachment, Headquarters Ship
64th Military Police Company (PSC)

4. **SICILY.** WD General Orders 91, 1945, as amended by DA General Orders 6 and 37, 1950; DA General Orders 32, 1953; DA General Orders 47, 1954, and DA General Orders 9, 1960, pertaining to the Sicily Campaign is further amended as follows:

Add: 2d Signal Corps Detachment, Provisional

5. **NAPLES-FOGGIA.** WD General Orders 96, 1945, as amended by DA General Orders 29 and 72, 1948; DA General Orders 6 and 37, 1950; DA General Orders 32, 1953; DA General Or-

ders 9, 1954; DA General Orders 28 and 52, 1956; DA General Orders 9 and 28, 1960, pertaining to the Naples-Foggia Campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 442d Infantry

Add: 2d Signal Corps Detachment, Provisional

6. **ROME-ARNO.** WD General Orders 99, 1945, as amended by DA General Orders 72, 1948; DA General Orders 6 and 37, 1950; DA General Orders 32, 1953; DA General Orders 47, 1954; DA General Orders 9, 1955; DA General Orders 28, 1956; DA General Orders 9 and 36, 1960, and DA General Orders 7, 1962, pertaining to the Rome-Arno Campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 3253d Signal Service Company

II. UNITS CREDITED WITH ASSAULT LANDINGS. 1. **ITALY (Amphibious).** WD General Orders 70, 1945, as amended by DA General Orders 37, 1950; DA General Orders 32, 1953; DA General Orders 87, 1953; DA General Orders 25, 1954, and DA General Orders 20, 1959, pertaining to the Italy assault landings, is further amended as follows:

Anzio (Amphibious)

Add: 2d Signal Corps Detachment, Provisional

2. **ITALY (Amphibious).** WD General Orders 70, 1945, as amended by DA General Orders 37, 1950, and DA General Orders 32, 1953, pertaining to the Italy assault landings, is further amended as follows:

SALERNO (Amphibious)

Add: 2d Signal Corps Detachment, Provisional

3. **SICILY (Amphibious).** WD General Orders 70, 1945, as amended by WD General Orders 116, 1946; DA General Orders 37, 1950, and DA General Orders 32, 1953, pertaining to the Sicily assault landings, is further amended as follows:

Add: 2d Signal Corps Detachment, Provisional

4. *SOUTHERN FRANCE (Amphibious)*. WD General Orders 70, 1945, as amended by WD General Orders 116, and DA General Orders 28, 1956, pertaining to the Southern France assault landings, is further amended as follows:

Add: 6th Signal Detachment, Headquarters Ship

III. DISTINGUISHED UNIT CITATION.

As authorized by Executive Order 9396 (Sec. I, WD Bul. 22, 1943), superseding Executive Order 9075 (Sec. III, WD Bul. 11, 1942), citation of the following unit in the general orders indicated is confirmed in accordance with paragraph 194, AR 672-5-1 in the name of the President of the United States as public evidence of deserved honor and distinction. The citation reads as follows:

Company "A" of the 802d Engineer Aviation Battalion is cited for extraordinary heroism and distinguished service during the period 12 July to 26 August 1950. This company was detached from its parent organization and moved to Pohang, Korea, on 12 July 1950, where it was given

the mission of repairing and extending the airstrip which was in imminent danger of enemy air and ground attack. Despite this danger of attack and the hazards of constructing an airstrip while it was in constant use as an advance base, the men of Company "A" of the 802d Engineer Aviation Battalion worked tirelessly to complete their work. Elements of this unit engaged the enemy continuously for one and one half days in defense of the strip. Only when it was surrounded and under full attack was the company evacuated by LSP to Pusan, Korea, where it was immediately committed in the construction of the East Pusan airstrip on 14 August 1950. The achievements of Company "A" of the 802d Engineer Aviation Battalion throughout this period were in keeping with the highest traditions of the service, and reflected great credit upon itself, the Far East Air Force, and the United States Air Force. (General Orders 101, Headquarters Far East Air Force, APO 925, 12 March 1951.)

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

Official:

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